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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: Natalie S. Glance

Title: **RECOMMENDER SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR GENERATING IMPLICIT  
RATINGS BASED ON USER INTERACTIONS WITH HANDHELD DEVICES**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Sir:


Enclosed is a copy of the Information Disclosure Statement Form PTO-1449 submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56, together with copies of the documents, excluding pending U.S. applications and web sites, cited in that form. The undersigned respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the cited documents and that the enclosed copy of the Information Disclosure Statement Form PTO-1449 be initialed by the Examiner to indicate such consideration and that a copy thereof be returned to the applicant.

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The references are discussed in the Background of the Invention.

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